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In re Application of:

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Mail Stop Issue Fee Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

#### FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

In regard to the above identified application:

- 1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
  - a. Rule 1.312 Amendment After Notice of Allowance
- 2. With respect to fees:
  - Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.
- 3. CERTIFICATE OF MAJLING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being transmitted to the USPTO facsimile number 571-273-8300, according to 37 CFR 1.6(d) addressed to: Mail Stop Issue Fee, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on April 24, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: April 24, 2006

By: A. Blair Hughes

Reg. No. 32,901

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Keene		)	Art Unit: 2632
Serial No.:	10/706,593	)	
Confirmation No.: 7825		<u> </u>	Examiner: Hunnings
Filed:	November 12, 2003	)	
Title:	Ferromagnetic Object Detector	)	

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#### RULE 1.312 AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

This is an Amendment following the Notice of Allowance for the above-identified application.

Claim Amendments are set forth in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.